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Minutes of Task Force Meeting

Friday, March 16

Present: Croy, Hunter, Clingerman, Frangquist, Turner, Schruben, Hogan, Pope, Gilman, Claar, Jans, Vaughan, Pringle, Stone, Robinson, Raudabaugh, Porter, Bell, Dodd, Beauchamp, Matthews, Downey, Johnson, Fessenden, Lloyd, Shipley, Tonkin, Groening, Paulling, Enfield, Phifer, Crosby, Callahan, Welch, Blanchard, Noordhoff, Heywood, Bishop, Sowder, Fulghum, Childress, Jones, Ballard.

Crosby reported on arrangements for Kentucky and Pennsylvania Farm and Home Development workshops and discussed the program outline, purpose of workshop, and how work sessions would be conducted.

Paulling reviewed the revised Task Force statement on Earmarks of Farm and Home Development. The statement was approved by the Task Force members and Chairman Croy suggested FES workers send their State counterparts copies of the statement. After the revised statement is duplicated, copies will be made available to all FES personnel. Croy suggested that in addition to sending copies to individual workers in the States, FES personnel take copies with them for discussion purposes on field trips.

Welch presented the revised ES 21 supplement on Farm and Home Development. Task Force approved the outline presented.

Phifer and Beauchamp discussed the special Extension Service Review issue on Farm and Home Development and the type of stories needed for both this issue and regular issues of the Review. Croy appointed a committee consisting of Cowden, Phifer, Claar, Crosby, Downey, and Matthews to work with Mrs. Beauchamp on Farm and Home Development stories for the Review.

Next meeting of Task Force scheduled Friday, April 13, 1:30 to 3:30 p.m., Room 6026. Mr. Kepner to be Chairman in absence of Croy.

Agenda:

1. Report of Committee on Farm and Home Development Training Needs--Hunter
2. Report of special work done in Kentucky at request of Director Nesius--Crosby, Hunter and Callahan
3. Resume and post-mortem of Kentucky and Pennsylvania Farm and Home Development Workshops.

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Figure 1. The effect of the concentration of the H_2O_2 solution on the amount of the released H_2O from the H_2O_2 -loaded hydrogel. The amount of the released H_2O was measured by the weight difference of the hydrogel before and after the release. The concentration of the H_2O_2 solution was 0.1, 0.2, 0.3, 0.4, 0.5, 0.6, 0.7, 0.8, 0.9, and 1.0 wt. %.

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